GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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FARM HOUSES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the aims and objectives for setting-up farm houses in Delhi;

(b) the extent to which those aims and objectives have been achieved;

(c) whether the Government are aware about the large scale irregularities being committed in the garb of farm houses; and

(d) if so, the action the Government proposes to crack the wrongs and ills, going on in the farm houses?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a)&(b): The Delhi Development Authority has reported that as per the Master Plan for Delhi-2001 farm houses could be located in a minimum of 1 ha of land in the rural areas and could be developed for flower, vegetables, poultry farming etc. The farm houses can also have a dwelling unit in terms of the development control norms prescribed in the Master Plan.

(c)&(d): The local bodies have also reported that action is initiated by them in accordance with the provisions of the relevant laws, when any irregularity in the form of unauthorized construction or misuse is detected.